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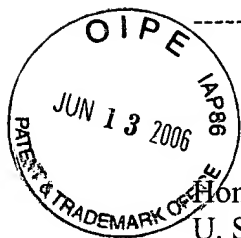
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The attorney's record in the above-identified application discloses that no communication has been received in the above captioned matter since a Communication dated on September 13, 2005.

Applicants respectfully request that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office indicate the status of the application in order to preclude any question of abandonment from arising.

Respectfully submitted,  
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